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In the Abstract:

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

An automated merchandising system for computer software [including] may include a central memory for storing software for sale to customers, interface apparatus for receiving a software [select customer choice] selection input [having associated therewith payment identification apparatus], and apparatus for writing software selected by a customer, and an identification code, onto a software carrier and dispensing same to the customer.